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Laser pointed at chopper from Temple dormitory

Risky business. A police helicopter in patrol Monday night had a laser pointed at it from a Temple dorm.

A laser was pointed at a Philadelphia Police Department helicopter twice on Monday night from a Temple University dorm.

Police officers photographed the building from which the laser came, and Lt. David Bonk then tweeted out a picture of the dorm, tagging Temple University and Temple police in the process.

"Attention @TempleUniv student on top floor: pointing lasers at #TacAir is illegal," Bonk, who was in the chopper, tweeted at 11:34 p.m. Monday.

"'Lucky' for them it was #TacAir and not a medivac with a critical patient on board," Bonk later tweeted about the incident.

Bonk also said via Twitter that the same person shot the laser twice at the helicopter.

"We take this very seriously," Lt. John Stanford of the Philadelphia Police Department said Tuesday. "It's not a game."

According to Stanford, officers in the TacAir helicopter did not actively investigate the incident because after the laser was shot at them, they could not identify the specific window that was the origin of the laser beam.

"Unfortunately last night, we weren't able to loop around fast enough to grab the individual responsible for it," Stanford said. "It's not one of the things where you want to go in and start kicking down doors in that building."

Temple released a statement to all residential students Tuesday regarding the incident.

"The use of laser pointers on aircraft can be dangerous for those in the air and on the ground. Anyone found responsible could face both criminal and university penalties," the statement said. "Anyone with information about this is asked to contact Temple Police at 215-204-1234."

The laser originated from Morgan Hall, a dorm that is home to mostly freshmen and some athletes.

If caught, the person who shot the laser would face federal prosecution, as pointing lasers at aircraft is a federal crime.

In August 2013, Luis Martinez and one unnamed individual were arrested and charged with pointing a laser at a police helicopter that was investigating a situation in Olney. Information about the status of those charges was not immediately available.

When lasers hit glass such as the windshield of airplane or helicopter cockpits, they refract and can fill an entire cockpit with light, possibly causing blindness in the pilot.

"We'll definitely be trying to get the person who did it," Stanford said. "You can kill the pilots. They can't see; next thing, they clip something. … You can also kill people on the ground if it crashes."

The TacAir copter was on routine patrol Monday evening, standing by to assist officers on street duty with its powerful spotlight, Stanford said.

Lt. David Bonk took this photo of Temple's Morgan Hall from the TacAir chopper and tweeted it at Temple University after someone inside pointed a laser at the helicopter. / PROVIDED

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Death penalty sought for ex-cop

Stephen Rozniakowski
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A former cop in Delaware County accused of killing his ex-girlfriend after she got back together with her husband will face the death penalty, prosecutors in Delaware County announced Tuesday.

Stephen Rozniakowski, who worked as a part-time officer in Colwyn Borough, was arrested in December 2014 after he allegedly broke into Valerie Morrow's home and shot her and her daughter, Bridgette Cruz, 15 at the time, while wearing a bullet-proof vest and carrying a police radio. His rampage was stopped after the victim's husband, Thomas Morrow, a cop in nearby Morton Borough, shot and wounded Rozniakowski.

"Sometimes, justice merits death," Delaware County District Attorney Jack Whelan said.

Cruz survived the shooting after hiding in her bedroom amid a gun battle between Rozniakowski and her stepfather. She appeared in court with a guardian, a scar visible on her bicep where she was shot.

Whelan said she had kicked the gun from the wounded gunman's hand to escape her bedroom.

Officer Morrow, who emptied his clip, fled through a bedroom window to a neighbor's house to call 911. That's when officers heard Rozniakowski's voice over his police radio tell dispatchers that he was unarmed.

Dispatchers asked who the suspect was.

"I am the actor," Rozniakowski replied, according to court documents.

Rozniakowski was awaiting trial for stalking another woman at the time of the murder and had been served with a protection from abuse (PFA) order obtained by Morrow three hours before the killing.

Police had seized Rozniakowski's gun when they served the PFA. He apparently had another one, along with a police radio and a bulletproof vest he wore to the shooting. DAN KELLEY

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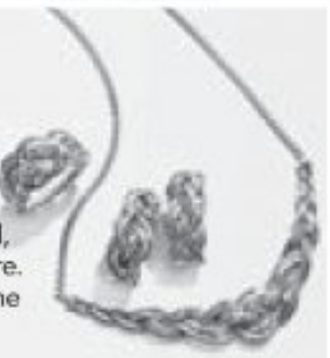

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Pope Francis

NJ teen charged with plan to attack pope

Pope Francis / GETTY IMAGES

The FBI arrested a 15-year-old boy from South Jersey for threatening an ISIS-inspired attack on Pope Francis, ABC News reported on Tuesday.

A Department of Homeland Security bulletin stated that the teen planned "a detailed homeland attack which included multiple attackers, firearms and multiple explosives, targeting a foreign dignitary at a high-profile event." According to ABC, the intended dignitary was Pope Francis.

The teen, who was charged with attempting to provide military support to a terrorist organization and to terrorist activity, did not pose an "imminent" threat, ABC said. He was reportedly spreading bomb-making instructions on social media.

The teenager may have mental health issues and his plot was only "aspirational," ABC reported.

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Wooden block street requires yet more repair

Workers remove blocks from Camac Street. They will repave the street and replace them. / CHARLES MOSTOLLER

Blockheads. The historic wooden Camac Street is undergoing further repairs to keep its historic design intact.

The troubles of Camac Street, a historic Philadelphia alleyway paved mostly with wooden blocks and partly with asphalt, continued this week as workers began pulling up buckling wooden blocks Tuesday so they could repave the asphalt underneath.

But local resident Harry Adamson, 66, said the repair won't help matters.

"They're engineering it wrong," he said. "They put down asphalt that doesn't allow the water to drain. So the new blocks are just going to get wet again and disintegrate. The old blocks lasted for 100 years."

The Streets Department's plans call for eventually repaving all of Camac Street with wooden blocks.

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Enjoying the breeze

Drexel University students on classroom steps enjoy the pleasant moderate temperatures Tuesday in Philadelphia, which hovered right around 80 most of the day. Forecasters said temps will stay around 86 degrees for the rest of the week and into the weekend, dipping into the mid-60s at night. / CHARLES MOSTOLLER

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Burned. Three-alarm blaze damages buildings in Center City, snarls traffic

An early-morning fire damaged two buildings and a construction site in Center City Philadelphia.

No injuries were reported in the blaze at 13th and Chancellor streets, which rose to three alarms before being brought under control around 7 a.m.

The damaged buildings include the six-story Gramercy Apartment Complex and the 24-story Chancellor building, reports say.

The Gramercy seems to have sustained more damage, and officials are assessing when residents will be able to return.

The fire snarled traffic and transit in Center City for the earliest part of the morning commute.

A new mural on the side of the building was also damaged by the fire.

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A blaze, shown at bottom left, broke out at 13th and Chancellor early Tuesday morning; firefighters and cleanup workers were on the scene all day clearing debris. / JEN LEARY/CHARLES MOSTOLLER

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A westside building mural of Pope Francis is almost complete in midtown Manhattan. / GETTY IMAGES

Pope to deliver most speeches in US trip in Spanish

Languages. The Pope has been practicing his English but feels more comfortable speaking Spanish.

Pope Francis will deliver only four of the 18 addresses he will make during his forthcoming visit to the United States in English and the rest in his native Spanish, the Vatican said on Tuesday.

The 78-year-old Argentine pope had been practicing his English over the summer and had been expected to deliver more of his speeches and homilies in English.

But spokesman Father Federico Lombardi told reporters that Francis still felt more comfortable speaking Spanish.

Asked if there was any symbolism in the fact that Francis had chosen to deliver so many speeches in Spanish, the second-most used language in the United States, Lombardi said, "I don't think that is the intention. ... He feels more comfortable [with Spanish]. The real reason is the ease of expression and that he will have to make less effort."

The pope used English for some addresses during a trip to Sri Lanka and the Philippines in January but had trouble with his pronunciation. During that trip, he improvised in Spanish while an aide translated into English. REUTERS

Days in Cuba

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The pope leaves this Saturday for Cuba, where he will spend four days before arriving in Washington on Sept. 22.

Makeshift sailboat

Cuban migrants, and their dog, come ashore on Miami Beach

A group of 12 Cuban migrants in a makeshift sailboat washed onto the tourist-lined sands of Miami Beach on Tuesday, police said.

The group included 11 men, a woman and a dog, said Miami Beach police spokeswoman Vivian Thayer.

Under the United States' "wet-foot, dry-foot" policy, Cuban migrants who reach U.S. soil on smuggler vessels without visas are permitted to stay, unlike any other nationality. Those caught at sea, however close to shore, are repatriated unless they need urgent medical attention or can show they would suffer political persecution upon return to Cuba.

Images posted online by the Miami Herald showed a small rust-colored boat with a stained sail on the sand and Miami Beach's iconic Art Deco hotels in the background.

A YouTube video posted online shows the makeshift sailboat approaching the shore before its dozen passengers jump into the surf. They were met on the sand by people cheering and shouts of welcome.

"You guys made it, bro," one bystander said.

A spokesman for U.S. Customs and Border Patrol, which screens migrants, could not immediately be reached for comment. REUTERS

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US, Russian top diplomats talk amid Syria buildup

United front. Old Cold War foes start to communicate to battle terrorist groups in Syria.

U.S. Secretary of State John Kerry and Russia's Foreign Minister Sergey Lavrov greet each other during the East Asia Summit Foreign Ministers Meeting in Kuala Lumpur on Aug. 6. / GETTY IMAGES

Secretary of State John Kerry spoke by telephone on Tuesday with his Russian counterpart, Foreign Minister Sergey Lavrov, and the conflict in Syria was on Kerry's agenda for the discussions, the U.S. State Department said.

State Department spokesman John Kirby did not immediately offer details of the call between Kerry and Lavrov, but Russia's Foreign Ministry said Lavrov had stressed the need to create a united front to battle terrorist groups in Syria.

U.S. officials have indicated that Russia is increasing its military presence in Syria and have expressed concern about whether Moscow is boosting support for Syrian President Bashar al-Assad.

The Russian Foreign Ministry added in a statement on its website that Kerry and Lavrov also discussed the Ukraine crisis and steps to ease tension on the Korean peninsula, without providing further detail. **REUTERS**

Warns US. North Korea says main nuclear complex operational

A man watches the news at a railway station in Seoul. / GETTY IMAGES

North Korea said on Tuesday its main nuclear complex was operating and it was working to improve the "quality and quantity" of weapons that it could use against the United States at "any time."

The comments on North Korea's official news agency came after its space agency said late Monday that it was readying a new satellite for launch, indicating it may fire an upgraded long-range ballistic missile timed around the 70th anniversary of its ruling party on Oct. 10.

Any such launch would violate international sanctions, although the North insists it would be part of a space program for peaceful purposes.

The United States, which has 28,000 military personnel in South Korea, called on North Korea to "refrain from irresponsible provocations that aggravate regional tensions."

"It should focus instead on fulfilling its international obligations and commitments," White House spokesman Josh Earnest told a regular news briefing, referring to past North Korean pledges to denuclearize.

Asked if another launch could trigger more sanctions, the top U.S. diplomat for East Asia, Assistant Secretary of State Daniel Russel, told reporters "it would be a mistake for North Korea to ... embark on the kind of threatening behavior and provocation that led to international sanctions in the first place."

Russel said North Korea should "unclench its fist" and the only path open to it was through international negotiations to ensure denuclearization of the Korean peninsula. **REUTERS**

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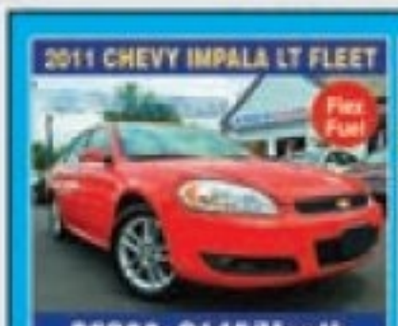
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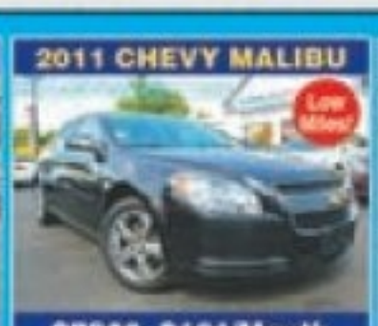
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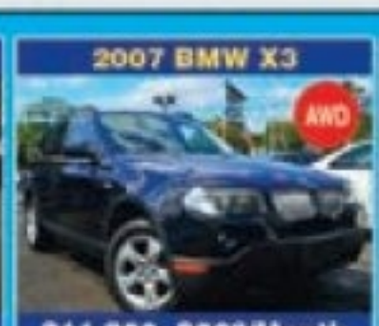
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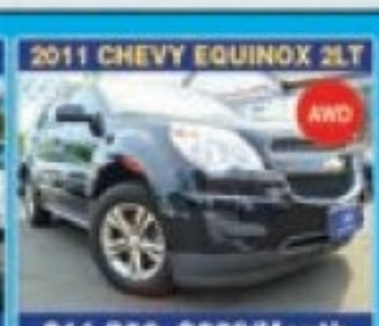
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Instacart. Target challenges Amazon, enters grocery delivery

Target Corp. said on Tuesday it has partnered with Instacart Inc. to deliver groceries for as little as $3.99 per order, as it overhauls its food business and competes with Amazon.com Inc.'s grocery delivery service.

The discount retailer will launch a pilot to test the offering in its hometown of Minneapolis and customers in some areas will be able to order online for food, pet products and baby items from two Target stores and have them delivered to their homes.

Target has been revamping its grocery department after customer complaints about freshness and product quality, and the business has been a key priority for Chief Executive Brian Cornell. The company's grocery division accounted for more than 20 percent of revenue last year, with approximately $18 billion in sales.

Big industry

$10.9B

Online groceries are a $10.9 billion industry in the United States, and the market is expected to grow 9.6 percent annually through 2019, according to a December report by market research firm IbisWorld.

The push expands online order options for Target customers, who can get free delivery within five days on a $25 minimum order.

At $3.99 per order, Target customers would have to place 75 orders to match the cost of Amazon's annual $299 delivery fee for groceries.

One of the largest players in the segment is Amazon Fresh, which delivers in Seattle, New York, Philadelphia, and Northern and Southern California. REUTERS

Georgia school district repudiates baptisms on high school football field

Sacrament. The event was criticized by a group advocating for the separation of church and state.

The pastor dunking a Villa Rica High School football player. / YOUTUBE

A Georgia high school violated local public school district policy by allowing a mass baptism of members of its football team on the school's field.

A pastor dunked 18 Villa Rica High School players and one coach into a tub of water on the school's field in a Christian baptism ceremony before an August football team practice.

"We are pleased that the school district has publicly affirmed its commitment to keep religion out of public school events, and concurs that the bizarre baptisms crossed the line," Annie Laurie Gaylor, co-president of the advocacy group Freedom From Religion Foundation, said in a statement on Tuesday.

The group noted that a coach had invited Pastor Kevin Williams of First Baptist Church of Villa Rica to perform the mass baptism.

A videotape of the event was posted online. The school is located in conservative Villa Rica, Georgia, about 30 miles west of Atlanta.

The foundation complained to the Carroll County School District, calling the baptism a violation of the separation of church and state enshrined in the U.S. Constitution's First Amendment.

Carroll County schools assistant superintendent Terry Jones said in a statement on Monday that the baptisms violated school district policy and that the district did not know the ceremony was scheduled to be held at the high school.

"We would hope that the staff members who participated would be reprimanded and carefully monitored in the future, and that the district would send out a memo reminding district employees that they may not engage in devotional events with students in our public schools," Gaylor said.

She called the baptisms "one of the most egregious entanglements of church and state that we've seen."

Williams told the Atlanta Journal-Constitution that he had checked the school's rules and thought there was no prohibition on baptisms as long as it was not school-sanctioned or held during school hours. REUTERS

Prostate Health Assessment Event

The Sidney Kimmel Cancer Center at Thomas Jefferson University and the Foundation for Breast & Prostate Health are offering free prostate screenings as part of a research program. Prostate cancer is the second leading cause of cancer death among men. Screening is important because prostate cancer shows no symptoms in its earliest stages.

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Five things you need to know

1 Suspect in fatal Mississippi campus shooting kills himself

A man suspected of gunning down a Mississippi college professor and of killing a woman he lived with shot himself as he was cornered by police after a manhunt, authorities said on Tuesday.

Shannon Lamb, a social science and geography instructor at Delta State University, killed himself after fleeing Greenville police during a traffic stop, said Cleveland Police Chief Charles "Buster" Bingham.

Lamb, 45, was being sought for the Monday killing of Ethan Schmidt, an assistant professor of American history at Delta State, and the earlier shooting of Amy Prentiss in Gautier, a town 300 miles away, authorities have said.

Lamb and Prentiss, 41, shared a home. Bingham said it did not appear that the shooting victims knew each other, and police were still investigating the motives for both shootings.

"We don't know why this man did what he did," he said.

Law enforcement said when police stopped Lamb's car, he jumped from the vehicle and ran. Officers then heard a gunshot.

While on the run, Lamb had made statements to police that he would not go to jail, the Sun Herald newspaper reported. REUTERS

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2 New Orleans mayor spared house arrest threat in union fight

New Orleans Mayor Mitch Landrieu no longer feared weekend house arrest after the Louisiana Supreme Court said he could remain free while appealing a contempt of court order in a decades-old firefighter pay squabble.

The Louisiana Supreme Court ruled that a district court, which had threatened Landrieu with house arrest if the dispute was not resolved, had "abused its discretion."

Civil District Court Judge Kern Reese earlier this month held Landrieu in contempt in a fight over back wages for firefighters. REUTERS

3 Amazon founder Bezos unveils rocket plant, launch pad in Florida

Amazon founder Jeff Bezos unveiled plans to build a rocket manufacturing plant and launch site in Florida, a business that will compete against fellow tech billionaire Elon Musk's SpaceX.

Bezos' space startup, Blue Origin, intends to invest more than $200 million to build a rocket manufacturing facility adjacent to NASA's Kennedy Space Center, state officials said. The rockets will fly from a refurbished launchpad at Cape Canaveral Air Force Station, located just south of the NASA spaceport. REUTERS

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4 Death toll rising in flash floods on border of Utah, Arizona

At least nine people were killed near Utah's border with Arizona when flash floods triggered by heavy rain in nearby canyons swept them away in their cars, officials said on Tuesday.

Five people were missing, Washington County officials said, and one remained hospitalized after a "large wall of water" swept through streets around the small city of Hildale.

A flash-flood warning for the area remained in effect on Tuesday morning. Thunderstorms were forecast in the afternoon. REUTERS

5 FDA orders Reynolds to stop sales of four cigarette brands

Reynolds American can no longer sell Camel Crush Bold and three other types of cigarettes, because the company has not shown they carry no greater health risk than similar products on the market before Feb. 15, 2007, regulators said.

The FDA move comes three weeks after the agency told Reynolds and two of its rivals that they could not claim their products are "natural" or "additive-free" without regulatory approval. Reynolds sells Natural American Spirit cigarettes through its subsidiary, Santa Fe Natural Tobacco. REUTERS

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Bill Cosby seeks to dismiss AIG insurance suit

Abuse. More than 40 women have accused Cosby of having drugged and sexually assaulted them.

Bill Cosby / GETTY IMAGES

Bill Cosby, citing financial pressures, asked a federal judge to dismiss or put on hold a lawsuit in which American International Group Inc. seeks to avoid paying for his defense against defamation claims by women who also accused him of sexual abuse.

AIG had in June sued Cosby in Massachusetts and California over homeowner's insurance policies it issued to him in those states. It said these provide coverage for personal injury claims, which include defamation, but not for personal injury claims arising from "sexual, physical or mental abuse."

Cosby is defending himself against defamation lawsuits by Tamara Green, Therese Serignese and Linda Traitz in Massachusetts and the model Janice Dickinson in California, which were spurred by denials by the entertainer or his representatives of claims of sexual misconduct.

In a Monday filing in the federal court in Springfield, Massachusetts, Cosby said he would face "substantial prejudice" by being forced to defend simultaneously against AIG over the policies and against the women over the defamation claims. REUTERS

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Police. Kentucky trooper was trying to help man who shot him

A rookie Kentucky state trooper who was fatally shot after making a weekend traffic stop was trying to help the Missouri man accused of killing him find a place to stay, state police said on Tuesday.

Police said Joseph Thomas Johnson-Shanks gunned down Trooper Joseph Cameron Ponder late Sunday after he fled from a traffic stop in the western part of the state. Ponder, 31, died from his injuries. Johnson-Shanks, 25, also died after authorities who were looking for him shot him on Monday.

Ponder was trying to help Johnson-Shanks and his passengers find a hotel room since Johnson-Shanks had a suspended license and his passengers also were not able to legally drive, according to Kentucky State Police spokesman Jay Thomas.

The spokesman had earlier said he was not sure what initiated the traffic stop.

In a video posted by local media that was taken after Ponder was shot, a man police identified as Johnson-Shanks is seen moving in the dark, saying into the camera: "I did something I didn't mean to. I'm gonna regret it."

Johnson-Shanks' 18-year-old niece Ambrea Shanks, of Missouri, was a passenger in his vehicle and was arrested and charged with hindering prosecution or apprehension after being interviewed by detectives, police said.

Two children under 6 years old and a 22-year-old woman also rode in the vehicle, police said.

Ponder graduated from the Kentucky State Police training academy in January and had previously served in the U.S. Navy, officials said.

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Five charged in hazing death of NYC student

Chun "Michael" Deng / HANDOUT

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"We want to hold not only the individuals involved, but if there's an organization that sanctioned it, whether officially or unofficially, we're going to hold them accountable as well."

Chris Wagner Pocono Mountain Regional Police Chief

Baruch College. It is part of the City University of New York and enrolls 15,000 students.

Five people were charged in the 2013 death of a freshman at New York City's Baruch College during a hazing ritual, police in Pennsylvania said on Tuesday, the first of 37 people who prosecutors may charge in the fatal incident.

Members of the college's Pi Delta Psi fraternity brutally assaulted Chun "Michael" Deng, 19, during an initiation rite in Tunkhannock Township, in northern Pennsylvania, in September 2013 and delayed taking him to the hospital, contributing to his death, police said.

A grand jury had recommended that prosecutors bring a variety of criminal charges, including third-degree murder, involuntary manslaughter and aggravated assault, against 37 people and the fraternity's national organization.

During a ritual called "the glass ceiling," Deng was forced to walk blindfolded, carrying a 30-pound backpack, through a line of fraternity members who shoved him and threw him to the ground, according to police.

Deng complained about his head hurting but continued and was eventually knocked unconscious. He was transported to a hospital an hour later with a significant brain injury, police said.

Before taking him to the hospital, fraternity members contacted Andy Meng, the fraternity's national president, who encouraged the group to hide fraternity items, police said. REUTERS

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How much it costs to be a stage parent

Family finances. Raising a prodigy is not cheap.

For parents who dream their child will become a prodigy and stun the world with their brilliance, Chloe Hui has a message for you: Be careful what you wish for. Her son, pianist Marc Yu, now 16, gave his first orchestral concert at 6 years old. He has since played venues such as London's Royal Albert Hall, Beijing's Central Conservatory and New York City's Carnegie Hall in a duet with superstar Lang Lang.

Dreams don't come cheap

Along the way, Hui discovered that being the parent of a gifted child is not easy – nor cheap. "I didn't know what was ahead of me," she admits. That included living in an L.A. garage for four years, an arrangement that was subsequently upgraded to a "shack," she says. Virtually all of the family's money went to lessons with elite teachers, which cost $150-$250 an hour, multiple times per week.

There was no way Hui could work, as she managed her son's budding career and homeschooled him. Eventually, they moved to San Francisco just to be near a school that could accommodate his elite talent.

Rearing even an average child born in 2013 through the age of 18 is estimated to cost $245,000, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture. For Hui, that's chump change. Between the ages of 6 and 10, she estimates that she spent a half million dollars on lessons, travel and other services to develop Marc's piano talents.

"It puts a huge strain on the families, and it's very stressful," says Ellen Winner, a psychology professor at Boston College who wrote the book "Gifted Children: Myths and Realities." "Having a child prodigy is not necessarily a good thing."

Stage parents

On the other hand, there are the stage parents who are relentless in driving their kids.

A prime example, says Winner: tennis great Andre Agassi, who bemoaned his miserable childhood in his autobiography "Open." (Note: You can expect to spend $30,000 to $100,000 annually to fuel your kid's dream of tennis stardom, according to Tim Donovan, founder of Donovan Tennis Strategies, a college recruiting consulting group.)

In other words, if your child isn't a true prodigy, don't invest a crazy amount of resources just because you sniff a potential payoff down the line. If you do have one-in-a-million talent, though, then you have some hard financial decisions to make.

The good news is that if you do sacrifice and help launch them to world-class levels, the financial burdens start to lessen: They will likely garner full-ride college scholarships, for instance, and be paid for their performances, including travel expenses.

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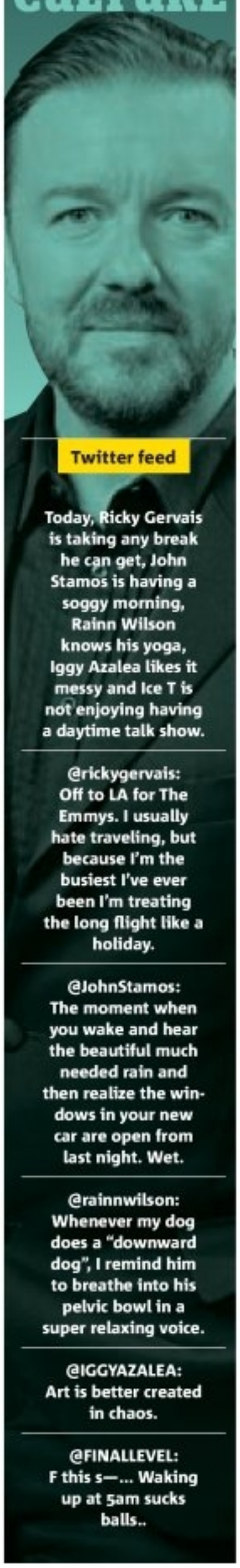

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Today, Ricky Gervais is taking any break he can get, John Stamos is having a soggy morning, Rainn Wilson knows his yoga, Iggy Azalea likes it messy and Ice T is not enjoying having a daytime talk show.

@rickygervais:
Off to LA for The Emmys. I usually hate traveling, but because I'm the busiest I've ever been I'm treating the long flight like a holiday.

@JohnStamos:
The moment when you wake and hear the beautiful much needed rain and then realize the windows in your new car are open from last night. Wet.

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Whenever my dog does a "downward dog", I remind him to breathe into his pelvic bowl in a super relaxing voice.

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F this s—... Waking up at 5am sucks balls..

1 Elizabeth Olsen shoots down pesky dating rumors

Hiddleston and Olsen / ALL PHOTOS GETTY IMAGES UNLESS STATED OTHERWISE

All right, everybody, move along. Nothing to see here with this whole Elizabeth Olsen dating Tom Hiddleston thing. They've been weathering speculation about just how close they are all summer, and the film in which they play husband and wife, "I Saw the Light," just debuted at the Toronto International Film Festival, so they've been posing for a lot of photos. But no more reliable a source than Olsen herself says there is no hanky-panky going down.

"I mean, we definitely are friends and we've known each other for about four years. We happened to be at a restaurant at a wrong time having dinner. We all go out to dinner," she tells Refinery29. "Well, apparently I'm dating Chris Evans, and apparently I've dated Jeremy Renner. … I don't react to it." When asked very directly if she's dating Hiddleston? "No," she offers flatly. "I mean, people can think what they want to think." So that settles that, right?

2 Kim K gets in on the lifestyle website game

Look out, Internet, because there's a new celebrity website telling you how to live your best life. "So proud to announce KimKardashianWest.com is now live! I've worked for over a year on creating so much original content for you guys!" Kim K wrote in an Instagram post.

Upon arriving at the site, it's not immediately clear what the purpose of it is. There's a smizing Kardashian in black and white, and a simple "K" logo. A menu offers options like "Style" and "Obsessed."

The app store's description provides a bit more clarity: "The Kim Kardashian West Official App gives Kim's audience unprecedented and exclusive personal access to her life. Through the app, Kim shares original and curated content, interactive experiences, live streaming, access to offline events, tutorials and much more." At a special introductory subscription rate of $2.99 a month, getting "exclusive access to her life" is a bargain. But isn't her whole career exclusive access to her life? **MATT LEE**

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3 Devo singer really sorry about his 9/11 wedding reception

Jerry Casale, bassist and singer for '80s nerd-pop supergroup Devo, got married Friday — you know, 9/11 — which led to some unfortunate results. Casale tells Billboard that he and his wife, Krista Napp, chose the date for logistical reasons, and when a friend questioned the choice he joked that he and Napp represented "the Twin Towers of love." Apparently, the friend took the idea and ran with it, setting up a reception featuring a Twin Towers-shaped cake and box cutters as party favors. "He thought it was some sort of transgressive sick humor, and the problem is it's not funny," Casale says.

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Vancouver never plays itself

This one's for the film nerds out there. Tony Zhou has made another wonderful "Every Frame a Painting" video, this time focusing on how Canada's own Vancouver — Zhou's hometown — always gets dressed up as somewhere else. I used to think that was more Toronto's problem, but Vancouver needs some love too. And this is one loving tribute.

4 22-year-old Tom Hardy modeling is adorable

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Yes, this is another Tom Hardy item, but just accept that we're mildly obsessed. Also, yesterday was his birthday. Also also, he's Tom Hardy. Anyway, in the proud tradition of digging up things from Hardy's past, someone found a video of him winning a modeling competition in 1998. Isn't the Internet wonderful?

There are several things we would like to comment on, having seen the video:

1 That hair. It's so spectacularly '90s that we feel a sudden urge for neon and platform shoes.

2 His model walk was not the best. What would Miss J say? She would say that is a horrible, horrible, horrible runway walk.

3 We learned he's a Virgo. That means he's an excellent match, astrologically speaking, for a certain Metro web producer who happens to be a Leo.

4 His eyebrows were, without a doubt, on fleek.

5 His transition from scrawny twink to muscle daddy proves there is hope for us all. **MATT LEE**

Jena Malone keeps it real

Interview. The "Time Out of Mind" actress had to learn how to ignore Richard Gere.

Jena Malone plays a bartender who reluctantly reunites with her homeless father (Richard Gere) in "Time Out of Mind," on VOD starting Friday. / IFC FILMS

Jena Malone has been acting since she was a kid, though even her parts back then — "Bastard Out of Carolina," "Stepmom," "Donnie Darko" — tended to be heavy. She's grown even more serious as an adult. In "Time Out of Mind," she has the small but crucial role of Maggie, the estranged daughter of a man (Richard Gere) who's currently homeless.

Maggie is very hostile toward her father. How did you view her anger, which can be extreme?
I think I understood her. A lot of people place a lot of blame and judgment on their parents. That's a really normal, human thing. It's partly about breaking away at a young age. It's how you find your own voice. You have to pare down the voices of your parents to find your own, in a weird way.

The film only alludes to what went down with Maggie and her father. Do you go deep on backstory or do you just play the moment?
I came up with my own [backstory]. I thought it'd be more interesting if I had my own ideas of what happened, and Richard had his. There was this competing thing of, "What do you remember? I remember this, you remember that." I think that happens a lot between two people who are upset at each other.

Did you steer clear of Richard during shooting? Sometimes actors do that with other actors.
I only met Richard on set. I met him on film, basically. It was very easy to do my prep work independently and come on the set and feel very comfortable creating. Then Richard and I stayed really far apart from each other, even until the last scene. We didn't really sit down and talk to each other until we were in Toronto.

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One more thing

How did this change your view of the homeless?

The worst thing you can do to another human being is know nothing about them. For me, what [this film] did was it shattered as much as it mended inside my heart the idea of realizing you have to see all people as people, regardless of their actions.

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ON GENDER-SWAPPING ROLES IN HOLLYWOOD

In "Our Brand Is Crisis," out Oct. 30, the character played by Sandra Bullock, with Billy Bob Thornton, was almost played by George Clooney.
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Recently, Sandra Bullock was cast in the role that was originally George Clooney's in "Our Brand Is Crisis." Clooney told ET, "You'll see this happening a lot, where they talk about how there aren't a lot of great roles for women. The truth of the matter is there are plenty of these films where you can stop and look and just change the gender and make a really interesting film. So we need to start thinking that way." This was after Bullock talked about not getting roles sent to her that she was excited about and actively looking for male roles that could be swapped.

It's not as strange as it may sound. One of the best writing exercises I've ever done was to take a story I'd written and see if it was possible to gender-swap the roles. If your character is fleshed out enough — a real person, fully realized — then it really shouldn't take much effort.

That's really the trick, isn't it, writing people instead of gender? Of course, if the story is about the experience of being a man, a woman, a trans-person, etc., there are specifics that can't be explored if the role were switched. However, when it comes to most roles, what difference does it make? Swap race, gender, sexual orientation — we're all people. We all have fully realized lives. This would especially benefit women, who are often written as ciphers: the girlfriend, the love interest, the sexy spy.

Look at your favorite film and see if it would make a difference if you changed gender. Yes, you could make "Mad Max: Fury Road" hero Furiosa a man. You could do it with Max as well. Heck, you could probably do it with "Frozen"! Want to try the same thing with a character like Tessa from "Transformers: Age of Extinction"? You know, the one with pretty much no reason for being there other than to be sexy and passed from her father to her boyfriend? Or Teresa in "The Maze Runner"? In the book, she's fully fleshed out. In the film, she's pretty much there to be "the girl."

I hope studios are starting to realize that women go to the movies because we love them. We even go to action movies and geeky movies, and not just because our boyfriend or husband drags us there. Even better? Guys will go see a film with a female lead. If Hollywood gives it a shot, they'll discover what the rest of us know: Women are more than sidekicks, hot chicks and set dressing.

So, female Doctor on "Doctor Who," anyone?

Geek Girl in Hollywood

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TIFF: Rob Reiner's rom-com rant

Comedy. Rob Reiner takes on Amy Schumer and Hollywood.

Rob Reiner is having a pretty great time at the Toronto International Film Festival, between debuting his most personal film to date, "Being Charlie," and teaming with Jason Reitman for a special live-reading of "The Princess Bride" for festival audiences. But that doesn't mean he can't be a grouch about what's happened to Hollywood lately.

So what does the man who brought us "When Harry Met Sally …" think of the current state of the romantic comedy? "I think the state of any movie that isn't a franchise at the studios is basically dead, and all of the genres — whether it's romantic comedy or it's an adult drama or it's a thriller — whatever the thing is, it's got to be financed independently," he says. "It's all in the independent world, because studios are not making any of those kinds of films. They just don't do them."

Studios instead are focusing on franchise pictures at the expense of everything else, he argues, with budgets for tent poles ballooning while others shrink. "Everything's $200 million or $2 million. It's crazy," he says. "If you don't have the word 'man' or a number in the title — 'Iron Man 2,' 'Spider-Man 4,' whatever. It's got to have a man and a number, then you can make the movie. If you don't have those, you can't make the movie."

In addition, Reiner sees some problems with what's happened to the romantic comedies that are getting made, regardless of studio proclivities toward superheroes. And let's just say he's not that impressed with Amy Schumer or Judd Apatow.

"The romantic comedy now, first of all they're R-rated now and they never used to be. Now because of the audiences, they've ratcheted up the violence and they've ratcheted up the sex, and they keep doing that to get audiences to come into the theater," he explains. "Everybody's having sex. It's like soft-core porn, you know? They're all R-rated. And now because of technology, whether it's Tinder or online or whatever, it's that kind of thing. What's that one now with Jason Sudeikis and Alison Brie? 'Sleeping With Other People.' 'Trainwreck' is the Amy Schumer. It's that same kind of thing."

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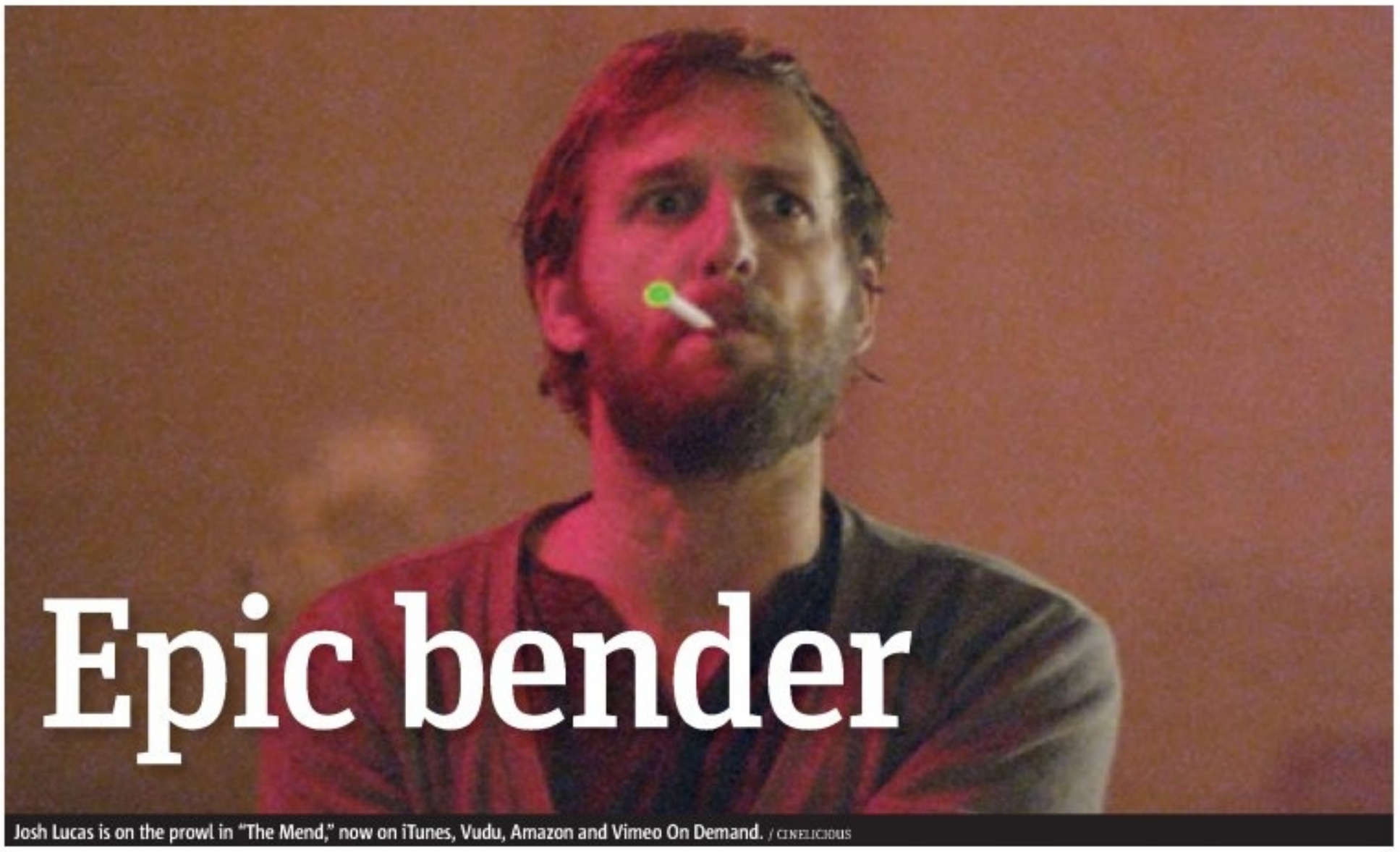

Epic bender

Josh Lucas is on the prowl in "The Mend," now on iTunes, Vudu, Amazon and Vimeo On Demand. / CINELICIOUS

Film. For "The Mend," Josh Lucas taps into a character he'd much rather avoid in real life.

In "The Mend," Josh Lucas is a mess, playing a rampant hedonist who moves into his estranged brother's apartment and promptly destroys pretty much everything around him. And in the true spirit of independent filmmaking, "The Mend" was even shot in writer-director John Magary's own apartment in Harlem — which led to some awkward moments on set.

Why do you think this character is as damaged and dangerous as he is?
What I would say is this is a guy who is justifying having given up. He's justifying, basically, his sort of anarchist idea about everything. It's a guy who has lost, and he's saying, "I lost because I don't give a f—," but the reality is they went hand-in-hand. He started to lose because he didn't give a f—. It's a kind of character and a kind of personality that, to be honest with you, more and more in my life I'm trying to stay away from thinking those thoughts. [Laughs] Because they lead to where he goes, which is basically homelessness.

That sense of unhingedness, while terrifying in real life, is great in a movie.
It's a guy you don't want to have dinner with, but it's a guy you want to watch someone else have dinner with.[Laughs] It's not like an animal, but you know it's going to go wrong. It's just when it's going to go wrong is the question.

Where did his guttural, throaty noises come from?
My sense is he's sort of rotting from within. And look, I've known times in my life when I've drank too much, smoked too much, and this is a guy who's always in a space where his insides are just … you don't feel good. I think in a sense he's constantly hungover. It's not just that he is, even, but that feeling is there even when he's not.

What was it like shooting in the director's own home?
There was actually one day I felt really bad because I got to set a little early — like five o'clock in the morning. And he and his poor girlfriend-slash-producing partner were literally still in bed in their bedroom, which was also my bedroom. They kind of came out like, "F—, man."

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One more thing

There's a smoothness to the cinematography in "The Mend" that you don't normally see in indie films.
This is something I'm really frustrated by these days with filmmaking: Handheld [camera] is really f—ing lazy. It really is. And it's often not necessarily hard to watch, but it's just that we're getting used to this lazy quality of filmmaking in that way. Maybe it's not lazy, it's just that people don't have the time. You just can't get it otherwise. But this was precise preparation. "This is this shot with this camera move," and I feel it through the whole movie. It makes a big difference.

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The Gods are angry at the PMA

Prometheus. Just in time for Popedelphia, the museum displays Greek myths and Michelangelo's Christ.

"Prometheus Bound," painted in the 1600s by Peter Paul Rubens, is part of "Wrath of the Gods," at the Philadelphia Museum of Art through Dec. 6. / PHILADELPHIA MUSEUM OF ART

Surrounded by stirring, violent depictions of Prometheus' never-ending struggle with his tormenting eagle by master artists of the Baroque and Renaissance at the Philadelphia Museum of Art, Christopher Atkins' summation of the familiar myth was amusingly flippant: "Falling nude men being attacked by birds."

The curator's offhand description was meant to be light-hearted, but bracketed by monumental paintings by Titian and Rubens depicting a taloned bird astride muscle-bound titans seeming to spill out of the frame, perhaps no one-line retelling of the story could hope to measure up.

"Wrath of the Gods: Masterpieces by Rubens, Michelangelo, and Titian" places Rubens' great "Prometheus Bound," which has been in the possession of the Philadelphia Museum of Art since 1950, in the context of the Flemish painter's times and influences. In the new exhibit, the ambitious painting is joined by Titian's similarly large-scale "Tityus" and a Michelangelo sketch of the resurrected Christ that he later reprised in a section of the Sistine Chapel ceiling. Both were influences on Rubens' painting, while Jacques Jordaens' own "Prometheus Bound" echoes the Rubens painting a generation later.

"The key to this exhibition is the story of Prometheus, a classical myth that seems to have enduring relevance for the human imagination as a metaphor for artistic triumph and brilliance, and resonates with artists today," said Timothy Rub, the museum's director and CEO, at a preview.

To illustrate that point, the PMA has partnered with Philly's Locus Moon Press to create a new comic book, "Prometheus Eternal," featuring stories inspired by the exhibition from comics creators including Grant Morrison (Batman) and Dave McKean (The Sandman).

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Mythic

Next up, Frankenstein

Atkins drew a direct line from the Greek myths related by Aeschylus and Hesiod through the painters in the exhibition to later artists like Mary Shelley, whose "Frankenstein" was originally subtitled "The Modern Prometheus," and Ridley Scott, director of the 2012 sci-fi blockbuster "Prometheus."

"These are universal themes that date back to the myths from which these stories come," Atkins said, pointing to the exhibition as "a chance to celebrate one of our great masterworks, but also to elucidate it and explore how Rubens formulated this grand, dramatic picture that has left such a legacy and imprint on us and so many of our visitors over the six decades that it's been here at the museum."

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Glam rock superwomen

Rag & Bone on the go

The hustle is real — said every multitasker, city dweller and working mom out there. David Neville and Marcus Wainwright's spring collection seemed determined to solve the modern-day dilemma of getting it all done while, you know, still looking cool.

How? Giant pockets, tweed pullovers, easy-yet-elegant ribbed dresses, sexy, party-ready camisole slips — paired with high tops! — and another comfortable-yet-chic footwear option: tie-up platform sandals (think: if Aquazzura and Birkenstocks had a baby).

The shiny luxe bombers and cape-like parkas completed the look for the modern-day superwoman.

TINA CHADHA

Rodarte's cheap chic

If you liked Rodarte's glam-pirate-hooker garb last season, well, you're gonna love what the Mulleavy sisters have cooked up for spring.

This time, the look is a bit more David Bowie mixed with some old-fashioned Victoriana: shimmery leisure suits, paisley velvet halters and glitter boots mixed with cobbled-together black lace dresses with ruffled high-necked collars and supershort hemlines.

Adding to the trashy fun: the cheesy '70s soundtrack and spectacular light show that opened the presentation. It costs a lot to look this cheap — and irresistible. RL

Meet fashion's new gender-fluid star

Seth Atwell will pose as a girl or boy.

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Fashion Week newbie Seth Atwell is making a splash. The 6'1", raven-haired Toronto native models both men's and women's clothes — and he's been landing some pretty big shows (hello, Hood By Air). We met Seth at a party for State, a new agency devoted to runway diversity, and asked him about his double modeling life.

You model both menswear and womenswear — how did that happen?

Ever since I first started, this is what I planned on. From the beginning, I've wanted to model as both a man and a woman. I can express both identities in many ways — whatever the client wants me to be, I can be.

How did you break into Fashion Week?

I was here for an audition in April for a movie, and I was sitting in on open calls when I met with an agency and they hired me on the spot.

What have been the highlights so far?

This season I walked for Hood By Air, and I really loved the VFiles spring show.

What are you going to do once Fashion Week is over?

I really want to start looking at volunteering opportunities at animal shelters in the city. It's something that I've have always wanted to do, and after Fashion Week I'll have a bit of time to do it.

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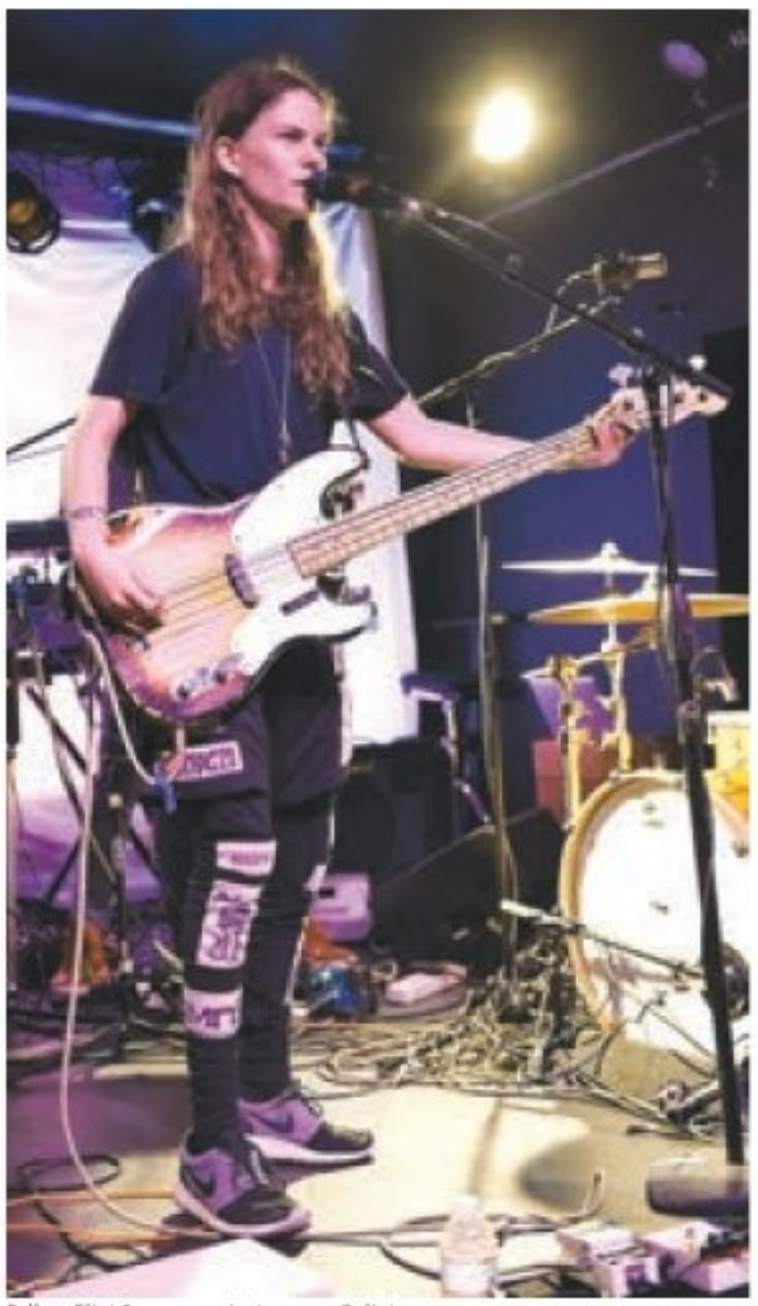
Sting's daughter Eliot Sumner is taking her own musical path



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See the British singer in concert this week.

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When your parents are Sting and Trudie Styler, taking the stage is almost expected. But while 25-year-old Eliot Sumner is interested in pursuing music, she wants to distance herself from her famous parents and make her own path. Sumner released an album in 2010 under the name I Blame Coco but has since abandoned the moniker and is back with more original music.

Ahead of her show this weekend, we talk to the musician about how her sound has changed over the past five years, what she learned through collaborating with Robyn and the influences behind her lyrics.

What was your first performance like?

It all happened very quickly. I worked myself up so much that the whole gig felt like seconds. I remember being very thirsty and nauseous. But when it was over, I was hooked.

How has your songwriting changed since you started?

My production skills have improved a lot in the last five years, so I think that gave me more space to create and write and edit and mix my own material. I have more confidence in what I'm writing now than before.

What influences your music, both lyrically and sonically?

Irregularity, conflict and coffee.

In your early days, you collaborated with Robyn. Did she teach you anything or give you any advice?

Robyn is great. We had a lot of fun performing together. Her energy and charisma is magnetic.

What is the last thing you Googled?

Best ramen in St. Louis, Missouri.

Who do you follow on Twitter/Insta?

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Gemini Devote yourself to your career plans. If you have unresolved issues in your personal life, keep them separate from your work life.

Cancer The same tried-and-true methods that have been successful in the past have relevance to the issues you are facing now.

Leo Stop taking things too seriously. Get out and have some fun with friends, family or colleagues. A few good laughs will brighten your mood.

Virgo If your budget is shrinking, you'll have to concentrate on increasing your income or freeing up some cash. Working overtime will solve your problem.

Libra Inject some excitement into your itinerary. Facing new challenges will put you in contact with people who have similar tastes and desires.

Scorpio Keep your opinions to yourself. Trying to mediate a quarrel between friends or neighbors will have negative repercussions.

Sagittarius Be assertive. You have to let people know what you are capable of. Unless you showcase your talent, you won't generate any help.

Capricorn Don't mix business with pleasure. Before you take action, make sure you have the applicable information.

Aquarius In your rush to complete a project, you will neglect an important detail necessary for success. Double-check your efforts to ease your stress.

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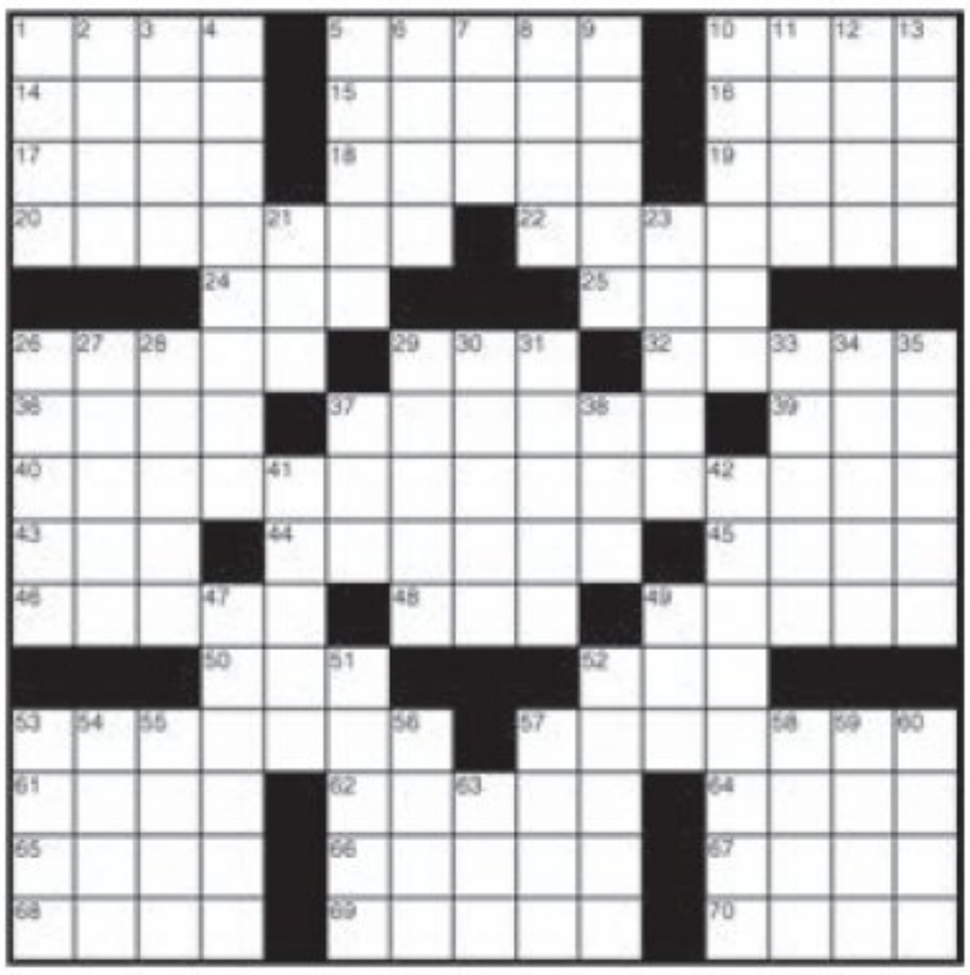

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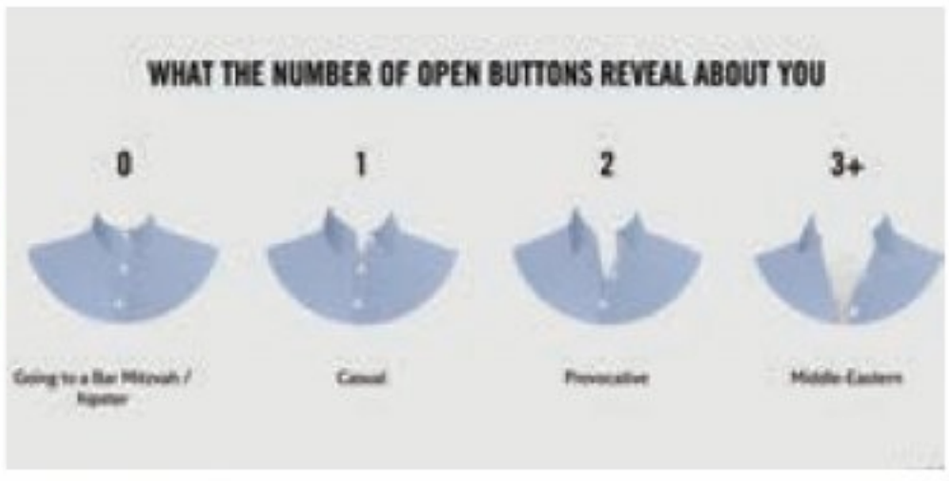

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Love where you live

Apartment Therapy for first-time patients

Founder and author of the site Maxwell Ryan on the first steps to a "Complete + Happy Home."

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You could be forgiven for thinking that Apartment Therapy isn't exactly beginner-friendly. For as warm and inviting as the popular site is, it pretty much invented the genre of house porn. Each featured space is more gorgeous than the last, right down to the perfectly curated clutter and suspiciously well-groomed dogs.

That said, founder and "apartment therapist" Maxwell Ryan firmly believes that you don't need a master's degree in interior design to create a beautiful, inspiring space of your own. His latest book, "Apartment Therapy Complete + Happy Home," starts at the very, very beginning — before you've signed a lease or written a down payment check, when hanging that gallery wall is the absolute least of your concerns.

Want to go home to one of the swoon-worthy abodes featured in the book's second section? Start by taking Ryan's first-stage tips.

1 Shop discerningly

Before you sign anything, pay close attention to the big picture, not simply the space itself. A big red flag for renters? When the apartment looks nice, but the building's common areas are in disrepair. "This can mean that only the cosmetics of the space are being kept up, but the maintenance of what you can't see might be lacking and potentially cause problems," says Ryan. If you're buying, take a good, long look at both the block and the area. "Think about the

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The first 24 hours

Take it easy the night of the move. "Do not worry about cooking the first night in a new place," says Ryan. "Splurge a little and order in something tasty to help celebrate your first night in a new home. There is plenty of time to break out the cookware and dishwashing detergent tomorrow!" The one thing you should attend to ASAP? The smoke alarm. Check the batteries before you even put sheets on the bed.

health of the surrounding neighborhood, not just the piece of property you are considering," he cautions. "How do the homes around the home you might buy look? Are there more than one or two for sale? Are the businesses close by ones that you would consider using? Do they seem like they are thriving?"

2 Move smart

Moving should be exciting, not panic-inducing. To cut down on the stress, plan ahead, and plan for the worst. "Take an extra day or two off from work right around moving day," suggests Ryan. "Last-minute packing will be less stressful and running errands for the things that you end up needing for the new place — that always crop up, no matter what — will be much more enjoyable when you aren't rushed or exhausted after a day at work."

3 Decorate slowly

Although moving is a great opportunity to explore your personal style and create a beautiful living space, don't rush anything. "You want to take your time and shop thoughtfully," says Ryan. "It's always best to live in a place for a bit before making any major design decisions or purchases so you aren't tempted to start scooping up things impulsively that might not make you happy long term."

Rental prices skyrocket ahead of papal visit

A four-bedroom home is asking $150,000 for the week.

Pope Francis will celebrate the closing mass for the World Meeting of Families on the Ben Franklin Parkway. RACHEL VIGODA

The pope is a cash cow. For landlords, anyway. Ahead of Pope Francis' visit to Philadelphia at the end of September, landlords and homeowners are turning every nook and cranny into a short-term rental.

On Craigslist, a search for the word "pope" results in 1,800 rental listings geared toward out-of-towners heading to Philadelphia. And some of those listings seem just a little, well, greedy — that's one of the seven deadly sins!

For instance, an "elegant" four-bedroom townhouse is listed for $150,000, and another 875-square-foot apartment is listed for $20,000, according to Bloomberg News. This is in the Philadelphia area, mind you, not Manhattan.

Some listings are a bit nontraditional, like a 1993 Honda Accord parked near a transit hub that is renting for $30 a night — that's for sleeping, not driving. And for $75 a night, visitors can rent a bunk on the Battleship New Jersey, a decommissioned naval vessel that operates as a museum, according to Bloomberg. Hey, that's actually really cool!

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The bounty of farmers markets doesn't end at Labor Day. Autumn brings new produce — and new ways to find out where your food is coming from.

"When we survey folks, they say they really want information. The farmers market is a place where people answer your questions, like, 'Where does this tomato come from?'" says Nicky Uy, senior associate for the Farmers Market Program at the Food Trust, which manages more than 25 markets in partnership with the city's Get Healthy Philly.

Many of the markets accept SNAP (Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program) benefits or Philly Food Bucks. "Clark Park [in West Philadelphia] has the highest transaction of food stamps," says Uy. "It's expensive to accept these benefits, but it's important.

"People are calling farmers markets a public health intervention. They aren't a silver bullet — they can't fix everything — but they do a lot."

Wadia Gardiner lived in West Philly when the Clark Park market first opened almost 20 years ago. She's now a resident of Hunting Park in North Philadelphia, and encourages the community to shop at the Saturday market there, which opened in 2011.

"It's part of a wonderful change that's happening in the park," Gardiner says. "I know the level of work and effort that these particular farmers are putting into their food."

According to Uy, one farmer at the Hunting Park market not only has a stall there but also acts as a mentor for the local community garden. "He took a chance and came, and they brought him thank-you notes," she recalls. "They have monthly Hunting Park meetings. He'll get a standing ovation."

Even the markets that have been running for years sometimes get neighbors who are surprised to come across them. "The market at Clark Park has been there for 18 years," says Uy, "and some people are still like, 'We didn't know you were here!'"

Many of the farmers markets are open all year. ALL IMAGES PROVIDED

Where to shop

Every farmers market is open on a different day, while some are year-round and others seasonal. If you have a SNAP card, the Food Trust will extend your shopping dollars by 40 percent at their farmers markets. Find specific details about each location at **www.thefoodtrust.org**. Here are the big weekend markets to get into your shopping rotation:

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- Filter Square, 23rd and Pine streets, 9 A.M. TO 2 P.M.
- Clark Park, 43rd St. and Baltimore Ave., 10 A.M. TO 2 P.M.
- Hunting Park, Old York Road and West Hunting Park Ave., 10 A.M .TO 2 P.M.

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3 Things to watch for as Flyers start camp

NHL A new coach brings a new system to Philadelphia, and the team will need to learn on the fly during training camp.

For the second time in the last three years, the Flyers failed to qualify for the playoffs. After finishing a disappointing 33-31-18, they hope to turn their fortunes around this year — and it starts this week. The Flyers open training camp on Friday with preseason games beginning next week.

Here are Metro's three storylines to keep an eye on during training camp.

1 Learning new coach Dave Hakstol's system

When Craig Berube took over as head coach for Peter Laviolette three games into the 2013-2014 season, the Flyers went from an offensive-minded system to a defensive style that included more back-checking from the forwards. Hakstol's system is centered around defense as well but requires speed, especially from the back end. Unfortunately, it's an area where the Flyers come up short. Even with the departure of the lumbering Nick Grossmann in the offseason and the addition of Russian Evgeny Medvedev, the parent team still lacks the necessary speed on the blue line to keep pace with most elite teams and run Hakstol's system efficiently. So it will be interesting to watch how the Flyers learn and implement Hakstol's system.

CLAUDE GIROUX AGAIN WILL PROUDLY WEAR THE 'C' ON HIS SWEATER FOR THE FLYERS.
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2 Finding secondary scoring

It was a treat to watch Jake Voracek chase after the scoring and assist titles (he finished fourth in scoring and second in assists), Claude Giroux post another dominant season and Wayne Simmonds net a team-high 28 goals despite missing the final seven games with a broken foot. But there was little other offensive support. The forwards accounted for nearly 40 percent of the offense last season. When Voracek and Giroux went into mini slumps two-thirds through the season, there was no one else to pick up the slack. The Flyers need more production from their second- and third-line players.

3 The rookie watch

There are not many spots open on the roster as the Flyers return mostly the same team as last year, but there are plenty of rookies to keep an eye on who might sneak on with an impressive camp or if a veteran gets injured. On defense are the last three first-round draft picks — Ivan Provorov (2015), Travis Sanheim (2014) and Samuel Morin (2013) — as well as standouts Shayne Gostisbehere, Robert Hagg and Mark Alt. On offense, the Flyers are waiting for 2012 first-round pick Scott Laughton to have a breakout season.

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3 SPORTS

Calling it a career

Gagne officially retires

Some of the brightest days in recent Flyers history saw Simon Gagne on the ice for the squad. The winger announced his retirement Tuesday. Gagne appeared in 691 regular season games over 11 seasons with Philly. He ranks ninth on the Flyers' all-time list in goals (264) and 10th in points (535).

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NFL power rankings | by Luke Miller

No. 1

Patriots (1-0)

Tom Brady wasn't rusty. He celebrated the lifting of his suspension with four touchdowns against the Steelers, in a game that never seemed in doubt for New England. Questions about their defense will remain, after they allowed 464 yards.

No. 2

Packers (1-0)

Jordy Nelson or no, Aaron Rodgers found receivers to get the ball to Sunday, much as he has in the past. James Jones was the largest beneficiary in Nelson's absence, catching two touchdowns against the Bears. Clay Matthews intercepted Jay Cutler late to keep Chicago at bay.

No. 3

Seahawks (0-1)

Karma for Russell Wilson's tweet? The Seahawks started slow last year, let's all remember, before we drop them much further than this. Still, while Jimmy Graham's debut included a touchdown, Kam Chancellor's absence was clearly evident in the defense's play. The Legion of Boom needs him.

No. 4

Cardinals (1-0)

Carson Palmer displayed why he's the key to the Cardinals' success every season. Displaying no ill effects from his torn ACL, he threw for 307 yards and three touchdowns. The defense did a good job keeping the Saints out of the end zone, limiting them to one TD and four field goals.

No. 5

Cowboys (1-0)

Just don't ask them to win like that every week. And it was a costly victory, as Dez Bryant suffered a broken foot. Dallas got last-minute heroics from Jason Witten and Cole Beasley to redeem two costly mistakes. Tony Romo threw for 356 yards and three touchdowns.

No. 6

Chiefs (1-0)

Kansas City was hoping for a revitalized passing game after last season and they got one Sunday. Alex Smith threw three touchdown passes, two to tight end Travis Kelce, who had 106 yards receiving on the day, and the Chiefs held on late to beat the Texans.

No. 7

Colts (0-1)

Opening weekend was a bust. New arrivals Andre Johnson and Frank Gore combined for 55 yards. Andrew Luck had his worst game since, well, his last game (discounting the preseason). The best that can be said of the Colts Sunday is they hung around and made a go of it after falling behind 24-0.

Start of a monster season?

Kelly offense good for Bradford?

In his Eagles debut, Sam Bradford (36-for-52, 334 yards) set a personal best for completions and posted his third-most yards ever.

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No. 8

Broncos (1-0)

We expected the Broncos defense to be great, and they were, returning an interception for the winning score and picking off Joe Flacco in the end zone to clinch it.

No. 9

Bills (1-0)

The big story on the day was the Bills always remarkable defense, which limited the Colts to 304 total yards and pitched a shutout for the first half.

No. 10

Bengals (1-0)

The Bengals came out and crushed Oakland, racking up a 30-0 lead before allowing two late touchdowns. Tyler Elfert had 104 yards and two touchdowns to lead the offense.

No. 11

Rams (1-0)

Unable to get it done on the ground with the absence of Todd Gurley and Tre Mason, the Rams had to turn to Nick Foles, who threw for 297 yards on just 27 attempts in his debut.

No. 12

Dolphins (1-0)

This wasn't the coming out party the Dolphins were hoping for. Still, a Jarvis Landry punt return TD and winning the turnover battle got them out of week one with a win.

No. 13

Steelers (0-1)

With Martavis Bryant, Maurkice Pouncey and Le'Veon Bell out, it was a tall order for the Steelers against the Patriots, and they actually played fairly well, considering.

No. 14

Falcons (1-0)

Rookie running back Tevin Coleman had an impressive debut, with 80 rushing yards against an Eagles' run defense that had looked dominating in the preseason.

No. 15

Chargers (1-0)

The Chargers scored 30 straight points to take the lead and never look back after falling behind 21-3 to Detroit to begin the game. Philip Rivers threw for 404 yards in the win.

No. 16

Ravens (0-1)

Baltimore's offense had a disastrous game against Denver on Sunday. Joe Flacco managed just 117 yards passing on 32 attempts and threw two interceptions.

No. 17

49ers (1-0)

Most people were expecting a triumphant return for Adrian Peterson, but it was Carlos Hyde who ran wild Monday, rushing for 168 yards and two touchdowns to lead San Fran.

No. 18

Eagles (0-1)

It wasn't the best start for Chip Kelly's overhaul, though the offense came alive in the second half after falling down 20-3. The team already famous for its depth at running back passed 52 times and ran 16, including eight carries for just nine yards for DeMarco Murray. Free agent addition Byron Maxwell was torched consistently by Julio Jones to the tune of 141 yards and two touchdowns. Darren Sproles was the team's most dangerous weapon, finishing with 126 offensive yards.

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MACNOW: EAGLES' LOSS TO FALCONS LIKE A BAD DREAM

Jordan Matthews set a career-high Monday with 10 receptions, but it's the one he didn't catch that will haunt him most. / GETTY IMAGES

I tuned in Monday night and Andy Reid was the Eagles coach again.

How else to explain that first-half game plan? At one point, they had executed five running plays — and 26 passes. It felt like one of those Big Red-era games where the offensive line gets off to a slow start and the coach scraps the run. It ended with reigning NFL rushing king DeMarco Murray not touching the ball for the last 10 minutes of a close contest.

Chip Kelly also seemed Reidian in opting for the field goal with the Eagles 4th-and-1 on Atlanta's 26 with 2:32 to go. It's easy to second-guess that call, because even a successful kick would give the ball back to Matt Ryan and Julio Jones down just two points.

More so, I was struck by the look of indecisiveness on Kelly's face — again evocative of Reid struggling to think on his feet. It led to the field goal team rushing in late, which seemed to rattle kicker Cody Parkey.

Speaking of which …

I tuned in Monday and Alex Henery was my kicker.

Or Scott Norwood, if the words "wide right" mean anything to you. Hey, Cody Parkey was nearly perfect last season, setting an NFL rookie record with 150 points.

But he had a shaky preseason, aggravated by a groin injury. And missing that 44-yarder Monday was inexcusable, even if he was rushed.

Parkey's teammates fought hard Monday night for the chance to come back and beat Atlanta. When the guy with the cleanest uniform can't hit a clutch field goal, it's downright discouraging.

I tuned in Monday and Nnamdi Asomugha was my cornerback.

Nobody played worse against Atlanta than Byron Maxwell, the $63 million secondary savoir. Of course, no one had a tougher assignment. But not only did Maxwell get toasted by Jones all night, he also got beat by veteran Roddy White four times.

It's notable that the Falcons new coach Dan Quinn was Maxwell's defensive coordinator in Seattle. Quinn's game plan seemed to be directed at going right at the man Kelly envisions as the Eagles lockdown corner.

Maxwell catches a break this Sunday, as the Cowboys come in without Dez Bryant. But down the road are Odell Beckham Jr., Calvin Johnson, John Brown and Sammy Watkins. Maxwell needs to play like the elite corner he's paid to be.

All that said, my advice is not to get overly worried. Good NFL teams often need September to find themselves. The Super Bowl champion (cheating) Patriots lost their opener to Miami last year, and 2014 NFC titleist Seattle started at 3-3.

I do believe Chip will figure this out. And I was encouraged by the second-half play of Sam Bradford — who began to find time and open receivers once Kelly reinstituted the run.

So, for now, let's relax. If they lose to the Cowboys on Sunday, then we can go into full panic mode.

Macnow on the Eagles

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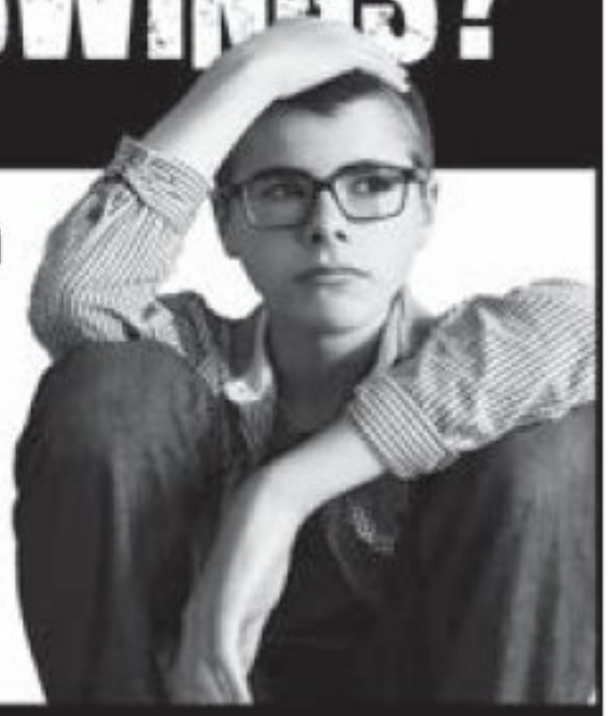

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